



GENERAL JABEZ HUNTINGTON HOUSE

REUNION OF HUNTINGTON FAMILY

Kinsmen from Far and Near for Third Meeting of the Clan—
Exercises in Historic Spots at Norwich Town—Banquet at Wauregan House—Inspiring Addresses by Men Prominent in the Huntington Line.

The sunlight filtering through the luxuriant shade made a beautiful setting for the social reunion of the Huntington descendants at the Gen. Jabez Huntington homestead, on Friday. A large part of these festivities was the out-of-doors groups on the walks and grounds, hearty handshaking, joyous greetings from those who had met at the former reunion five years ago, and who had come from the north, south, east and far west, auto riding in and out of Huntington lane, cameras flashing, stars and stripes flung out, feast of all the members of the Huntington family seated in groups under the trees partaking of the simple lunch served.

Indoors the rooms fitted with chairs, mirrors, dressers of the revolutionary over emphasis of mere good lineage. The ancestors of the old families of America settled the wilderness and made the constitution. The spirits of our ancestors, the fruits of whose labors we enjoy in our glorious old form of government and in the formation of our national ideals, will be grieved if America becomes the land of materialism, forgetting its basic ideals. In combating such tendencies and in helping to hold the balance of truth and righteousness, let us draw inspiration from the remembrance of our forebears. We have had centuries to absorb into our very blood what is good in the spirit of our country. Through leading respectable lives of usefulness, our forefathers have bestowed upon most of us the advantages of education and, what is infinitely more important, the advantages of homes with the tradition of honorable uprightness and service. Hence I say that the use of old families in the republic is that each household can and should be a focus of the good old American spirit of courage, justice, loyalty, kindness and truth.

Centers for the spread of sober good influence and for standing fast by the old ideals are much needed nowadays throughout our land. Our splendid system of representative government was formed by the forebears of the old American families. Abuses have sprung up because their descendants and the new-comers are so eager to enjoy their material inheritance that they forget the obligations and privileges of their political inheritance. Can we not see the spirits of our ancestors from upon us that we should sit idly by and see attempts to discredit the fine constitutional machinery of representative government and independent judiciary which they built because we and the newer Americans who are morally their offspring are too selfish or too lazy to discharge our political duties?

Foreign immigration to the United States has come at an enormous pace. We have thus gained legions of splendid citizens. It is wonderful to see how foreigners of diverse races after a few years gain the appearance of Americans and seem transfused to radiate the very spirit of America. Alas, we have acquired at the same time in revenge many criminals and undesirable. We are too careless of the evolution of the new-comers. In our effort of materialism we are also depriving large numbers of our native born citizens of good start in life in the full equipment of those homely virtues like filial piety, a sense of duty to others, insistence on truth and sincerity. We do not sufficiently inculcate in our schools that moral training and spirit of discipline which are so infinitely more important than book-learning. So all who have special reason to love America must work hard to help leave the lump. If we leave this work to the yellow type of newspaper and to the too "practical" politician, God help the nation!

The newly arrived must be assimilated to the best and not to the worst type of citizenship. In the hearts of those of the nation born who in the heat of material development, whether capitalists or laborers, have forgotten the forefathers, the real soul of America must be made to live again. This is no country for class feeling; no country for the capitalistic bully nor for the laboring bully; no country above for the political bully who preys upon both for his own advantage. It is a country for good old-fashioned Americans to join with good men from other countries if only they be good men and worthy of the high privilege of citizenship, to put shoulder to shoulder and make the United States of America, under the constitution of the forefathers, the land of the most virtuous and happy citizenship. In the workaday life, in the zealous

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The Use of Old Families. The topic, "The Use of Old Families in the Republic," by Hon. Huntington Wilson, assistant secretary of state, Washington, D. C., showed the citizen how to be consecrated to the work left us by those who were at the beginning of the nation. We Americans believe in no aristocracy, the speaker affirmed; but that of the most patriotic, noble minded and useful citizenship, measured exclusively upon the merit of the individual. We despise the idea of an aristocracy of mere wealth, or of success unless honorably attained; and there is equally no place in the republic for an aristocracy based on

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Discharge of the duties of citizenship and in being on the right side in all national movements, good works and political issues, lies a great object lesson here for us. Whether our lot be among the great ones or the lowly ones of our family, each of us keeping ever before him the honor of the name, should strive to do his share in the work of the world to the best of his ability and endeavor to transmit to future generations this glorious name as pure and unspiced as he received it.

Cablegram from London. During the afternoon session a cablegram was received from Hon. Thomas Huntington of London, Eng. In whose house are the headquarters, saying that he wanted to be with the Huntington family at the reunion, but was unable to make connections.

Present Status of Huntingtons. After the hymn "Now Thank We All Our God," the historian, Hon. Samuel Gladding Huntington, of Hartford, gave an address on "The Present Status of the Huntington Family and the Kind of People Who Compose It." An account of his work in connection with the records of the family was given. Some of those to whom he wrote wished him to give them their family history and position on the family tree rather than to impart information. Interesting facts were given concerning those who have built up the family in the far west, of one family of four generations of physicians, and also showing how



SAMUEL GLADDING HUNTINGTON

Huntingtons are found in every walk in life from college professor to laborer. Among many illustrious Huntingtons mentioned were men high in law, finance, the medical profession, army, navy, civil life, a power in the religious world, in education, a great influence in laying the foundations of towns, schools, churches, roads, railroads, on the Pacific coast as well as in New England and the points between. Representative women were mentioned who have shown great executive ability and marvelous powers in many directions. The beautiful hymn "O Think of the Home Over There," translated into many languages, was written by one of the family in a time of deep trouble.

These early Huntingtons were men of colossal proportions. Intellectually and spiritually, in closing is it any wonder, the speaker said, that we, the present representatives of the Huntington family, are proud of that name.

and rejoice in the glorious heritage that is ours? It is not given to all of us to attain such prominence as these illustrious men and women here mentioned, but surely there is a great object lesson here for us. Whether our lot be among the great ones or the lowly ones of our family, each of us keeping ever before him the honor of the name, should strive to do his share in the work of the world to the best of his ability and endeavor to transmit to future generations this glorious name as pure and unspiced as he received it.

After a short business meeting presided over by Prof. Ellsworth Huntington of New Haven, assistant secretary, those present were invited to visit places of interest in the old town before nightfall.

SPENCER IS TAKEN TO CHARLESTOWN PRISON.

Removed from Springfield Friday—Petition Filed to Have Sentence Commuted.

Springfield, Mass., Sept. 6.—Bertram G. Spencer, who is under sentence to be electrocuted during the week beginning Sept. 15 for the murder of Miss Blackstone, was removed from the Hampden county jail to the state prison in Charlestown today. Accompanied by Sheriff E. P. Clark and a prison guard, the condemned man boarded a train which left this city at 3:30 a. m. for Boston. It was expected that the murdered would be placed in the death cell at the state prison before noon. There were only a few persons at the station when Spencer was placed on the train.

Under the state laws, a criminal sentenced to death must be placed in the death cell at the state prison during the ten days before the first day of the week set for the execution.

Reaches Boston. Boston, Sept. 6.—With a smile on his lips, Bertram G. Spencer, condemned murderer, left the train from Springfield which arrived in this city at 11:45 a. m. He was handcuffed to a prison guard, with whom he entered a taxicab and was driven to the state prison in Charlestown. Spencer appeared calm and in good spirits. There was no crowd at the South station to observe his arrival.

Counsel for Spencer has filed with Gov. Foss a petition for a commutation of the death sentence. The petition does not give any reason why the sentence should be commuted. Gov. Foss has not taken any action, and has not decided whether he will refer the petition to the executive council.

Norwich people remember Friday as the 21st anniversary of the famous Yellow day.

MARRIED. BAKER—BUCKMAN—In this city Sept. 5, 1912, by Rev. E. S. Wallace, Elizabeth Baker and Miss Faith Buckman, both of New Haven.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

The Porteous & Mitchell Co.

A Sale of Notions

It will begin today and continue up to and including Saturday, Sept. 14th.

Commencing today, we will have a seven-day sale of Notions and Small Wares. This is not an offering of a few odds and ends—but involves a broad and comprehensive sale of every-day needfuls—and it is offered at a time when those needs are greatest.

Don't miss this sale—it means sure and substantial savings for all who take advantage of it.

Threads of All Kinds

- At 1c—White Basting Thread, 200-yard spools, value 5c.
- At 3c—White Basting Thread, 500-yard spools, value 5c.
- At 3c—Shaker Silk Substitute, in black and colors, value 5c.
- At 3c—Linen-finish Button Thread, black or white, value 5c.
- At 4c—Sewing Silk 100-yard spools black and colors at 4c a spool or 40c a dozen, value 8c a spool.
- At 2c—Merrick's Darning Cotton, black and colors, value 3c.
- At 2c—Black Darning Wool, with needle—2c a card, value 5c.
- At 3c—Chadwick's Six-cord Machine Thread, 200-yard spools, white and black, in all numbers—3c a spool, or 30c a dozen.

Pins and Needles

- At 1c—Common Pins, value 5c.
- At 4c—Best American Pins, value 5c.
- At 7c—English Pins, value 10c.
- At 4c—Clinton Safety Pins, all sizes, value 5c to 7c.
- At 1c—Black Pins with jet heads, at 1c a box, value 5c.
- At 2c—Laurel Safety Pins, all sizes, value 5c.
- At 1c—Hold-fast Darning Needles, 5 needles to a paper, value 5c.
- At 4c—Robert's Gold-eyed Needles at 4c a paper, value 5c.

Hooks and Eyes

- At 3c—Saratos Hooks and Eyes, black and white, value 5c.
- At 4c—Dainty Hooks and Eyes, black and white, value 5c.
- At 7c—Golden Spring Hooks and Eyes, black and white, value 10c.
- At 7c—Peet's Invisible Hooks and Eyes, black and white, value 10c.

Hose Supporters

- LINDSAY HOSE SUPPORTERS
- Infants at 10c, value 12½c.
- Children's at 10c, value 12½c.
- Misses' at 12½c, value 15c.
- Women's at 17c, value 20c.
- C. M. C. HOSE SUPPORTERS
- Infants' at 10c, value 12½c.
- Children's at 12½c, value 15c.
- Misses' at 15c, value 18c.
- Women's at 17c, value 20c.
- At 19c—Women's Pad Hose Supporters, satin pad and lisle elastic, value 25c.
- At 39c—Women's Pad Hose Supporters, satin pad and silk elastic, value 50c.

Tapes and Laces

- White Cotton Tape, 4-yard pieces—
- At 1c a piece, value 2c
- At 2c a piece, value 5c
- At 3c a piece, value 5c
- At 3c—White Cotton Tape, assorted widths, to package at 3c a package, 2 for 5c, value 5c.
- At 9c—White Cotton Tape, ¼-inch wide, 24 yards to a piece at 9c a piece, value 15c.
- At 10c—Taffeta Seam Binding, black, white and colors, value 15c.
- At 3c—Flat Lined Cornet Laces, 5-yard long, value 5c.
- At 5c—Black Flat Shoe Laces, 12 to a bunch, value 18c.

Miscellaneous Articles

- At 5c—White Pearl Buttons, 1 dozen on a card, small and medium sizes, value 10c.
- At 3c—Good Strong Lisle Elastic, ¼ to ½-inch wide at 3c a yard, value 5c.
- At 7c—Lisle Elastic, ¼ to ½-inch wide at 7c a yard, value 10c.
- At 7c—Corset Steels, 4, 5 and 6-hooks, value 10c.
- At 9c—Light Weight Dress Shields at 9c a pair, 3 for 25c.
- At 13c—Silk Dress Shields, three sizes at 13c a pair, 2 for 25c.
- At 19c—Nickel-plated Spoon Holders and Pin Cushion combined, will hold five spoons, value 25c.
- At 10c—Good serviceable Scissors, sizes 7, 8 and 9-inch, value 19c.
- At 19c—Self-sharpening Scissors, size 8-inch, value 25c.

MEN'S RAIN COATS

A SPECIAL SALE

50 Men's Rain Coats at Less Than Half Price

These Coats are made with plaid back, interlined with rubber, and guaranteed rain-proof. They sell regularly at \$10.00. The assortment includes a full line of sizes—33 to 46—but as there are only fifty Coats in the lot you should be on hand early to be sure of getting your size. On sale Today—Men's regular \$10.00 Rain Coats

at **\$4.95**

MEN'S FALL APPAREL

Preliminary showing for Fall of everything that is new and stylish in Men's Wear.

Men's Fall Clothing—all the newest styles, from the best manufacturers in the country. We invite inspection. Men's Fall Hats—all the newest styles in Soft Hats and Derby Hats—price range \$2.00 to \$4.00. We particularly recommend our "P. & M. Special" Hat at \$2.50. Made especially for us.

NEW FALL APPAREL

New Fall Suits, Coats, Dresses, Skirts, Etc.

Our comprehensive display of new Fall styles in Women's and Misses' Suits and Coats, includes all the latest developments of fashion for the coming season's wear.

Smart Fall Suits are shown in a wonderful variety of novelty and plain tailored models; materials are mannish serges, two-toned diagonals, silk and wool cords and Zibelines—all beautifully tailored and richly lined. We particularly recommend our showing of suits at \$18.00, \$20.00, \$22.00, \$24.00 and \$40.00.

Women's Dresses

Practical Dresses for women, made of good quality serge and neatly trimmed. These are very desirable for early fall wear—price range \$5.95, \$9.95, \$12.50 and \$15.00.

Women's Skirts

Women's Woolen Dress Skirts, a splendid assortment of new fall models, plentiful effects, giving much more value—price range is \$3.95, \$4.95, \$5.50 and up to \$12.50.

Women's and Misses' Rain Coats, newest fall models, in tans, black and mixtures; the materials are rubberized cloth and woolen mixtures in single and double texture—price range \$2.50, \$4.95, \$5.50 and up to \$10.00.

New Fall Millinery

Advance showing of the accepted fashions for Fall wear in Millinery, both for street and dress wear. All the new shapes and colors are being shown for Women, Misses and Children. We invite inspection.

SPECIALS IN BOYS' WEAR FOR TODAY

Boys' Blouses 39c

150 Boys' Blouses, liable to slight imperfections, sizes 8 to 16, at 39c each, value 50c.

Boys' \$4.00 Suits, \$2.85

Boys' Two-piece Suits, good school suits, sizes 8 to 16, at \$2.85, value \$4.00.

Boys' Knickerbockers 85c

100 pairs of Boys' Knickerbocker Trousers in navy serge and stylish mixtures, at 85c a pair, value \$1.25.

Boys' \$6.00 Suits, \$4.95

Boys' Two-piece Suits of navy serge and mixtures, sizes 8 to 16, at \$4.95, value \$6.00.

Women's and Misses' Coat Sweaters—a special offering at \$4.95, value \$6.00.

Fall Dress Goods

We invite you to inspect our Fall showing of Dress Goods. In presenting our new lines of Fall Dress Goods we do so with implicit confidence that it is right in every detail—right in style, quality and price.

School Needs Children's Hosiery, Handkerchiefs and Ribbons

Children's School Hosiery

We sell the well-known "Ironclad" School Hosiery for boys and girls—made especially for us and unequalled for wear. Here are some of our leading values:

- At 12½c—Boys' Heavy Weight School Hosiery, in both 1x1 and 2x2 rib, sizes 8 to 10, at 12½c a pair.
- At 12½c—Misses' Very Fine Ribbed Fast Black Hosiery, 1x1 rib, sizes 6 to 9½, at 12½c a pair.
- At 15c—Special! Children's Fast Black Lisle Ribbed Hosiery, sizes 6 to 9½—Special price 15c a pair, value 19c.
- At 19c—Special! Children's Fine Quality Brilliant Lisle Hosiery, sizes 6 to 9½—Special price 19c a pair, value 25c.
- At 25c—Children's Fast Black Ribbed Hosiery, with lisle special soles, sizes 6 to 10, at 25c a pair.
- At 25c—Boys' Ironclad School Hosiery, extra heavy, in both 1x1 and 2x2 rib, at 25c a pair.

Children's Handkerchiefs

Some special values in Children's School Handkerchiefs:

- At 2c—Children's Plain White Hem-stitched Handkerchiefs, value 3c.
- At 3c—Children's White Cross-bar Handkerchiefs, at 3c each.
- At 5c—Children's Plain White Hem-stitched Handkerchiefs, at 5c each, 6 for 25c.
- Children's White Handkerchiefs, with initials—Special price 6 for 25c.

School Ribbons

New Ribbons for hair bows, sashes, etc.—a splendid variety.

- At 12½c—Plain Taffeta and Moire Taffeta Ribbon, ¾ inch wide, all colors at 12½c a yard.
- At 19c—Plain Taffeta and Moire Taffeta Ribbon, four inches wide, all colors, at 19c a yard.
- At 25c—Plain Taffeta and Moire Taffeta Ribbon, 5¼ inches wide, all colors at 25c a yard.

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